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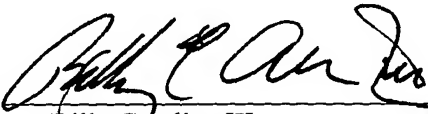
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Respectfully submitted,

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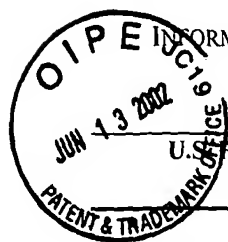
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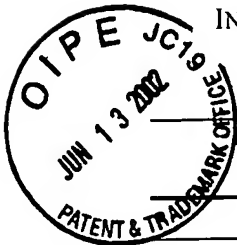
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	B2	WO 98/35208	8/13/1998	PCT	G01H	9/00	Yes

Other Art (Including Author, Title, Date Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

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	C1	"Fibre-optic accelerometer for use in hostile electrical environments" by M. Cochard and G. S. Pritchard, pp. 40-43, Issue Four 1998, Hydropower & Dams
	C2	International Search Report for PCT/US00/26331 (PCT case corresponding to related application)
	C3	Written Opinion for PCT/US00/26331 (PCT case corresponding to related application)

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